

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
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(1)
SUB D1
passing electrical current through the container to thereby heat the carbon powder for
graphitization by means of ohmic-resistance heat generated from the container.

(2)
SUB D2
5. (Twice Amended) A method for producing graphite carbon powder according to
claim 4, wherein graphite material is inserted between the end of the container and the guide
electrode to prevent heat loss at the end of the graphite container.
